

## American Friends Service Committee

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Kevin J. Martin Chairman, FCC 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Mr. Martin,

I am writing to confirm and to appreciate the fine community service work done by WBCN radio.

Several times a years, I have been invited to discuss a range of issues related to world peace and national security on WBCN's Boston Sunday Morning Review program. On other occasions, people I have recommended to the program, including Iraq veterans and Middle East scholars have also been interviewed on this program. The interviews done by Mat Schaffer on this program are consistently thoughtful, probing, and I believe contribute to both our real security and to the democratic process.

I have also been struck by the subjects addressed by people interviewed before and after me on this program, which are of enormous community service. Among other subjects, these have included medical information important to retaining healthy eye sight, suicide prevention, and public art. I have found each of these interviews educative and very helpful.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the above address or phone number.

Sincerely,

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